

7, Woodstock Rd,

Bristol 6.

25th Nov.

Loreys,

I have tried already today to send you a telegram telling you I am all right but they won't take them unless urgent.

Yes, the "West town" was no & rather unpleasant it was, too. I was in Church at the "Light in Darkness" service (6-6.45)

when the siren went out about 6.35.

During the closing prayers we had "Light in Darkness" outside in the shape of flares. They lit the stained glass windows just like daylight & almost immediately the first bomb fell & the guns started up.

We were advised to stay in Church & we settled ourselves in close to an outside wall with no window & near a very strong pillar (near the entrance). Soon the windows were lit with a red glare & we could smell